

FIG.1



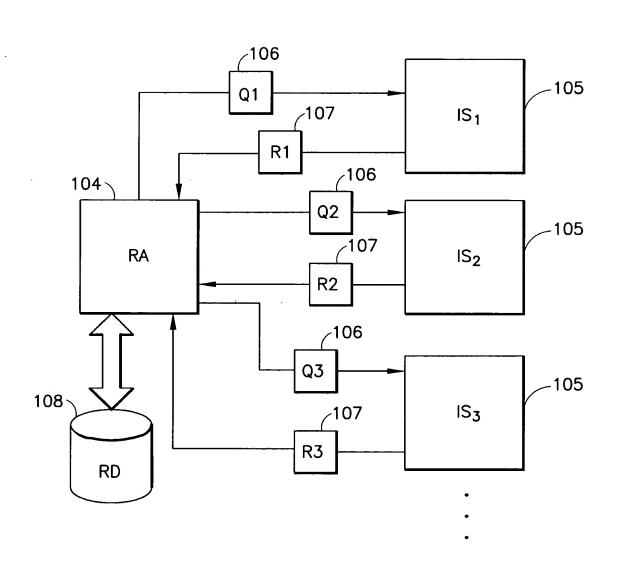
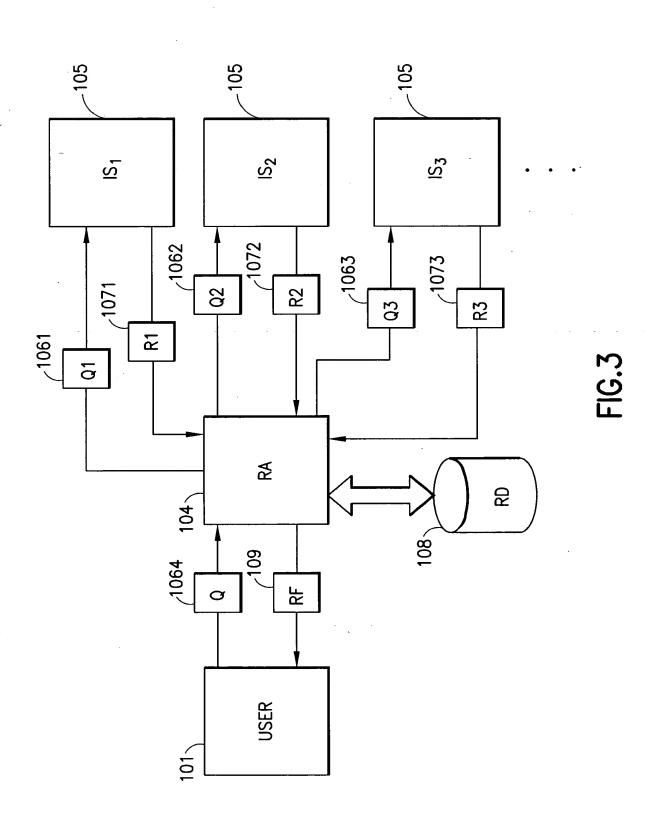
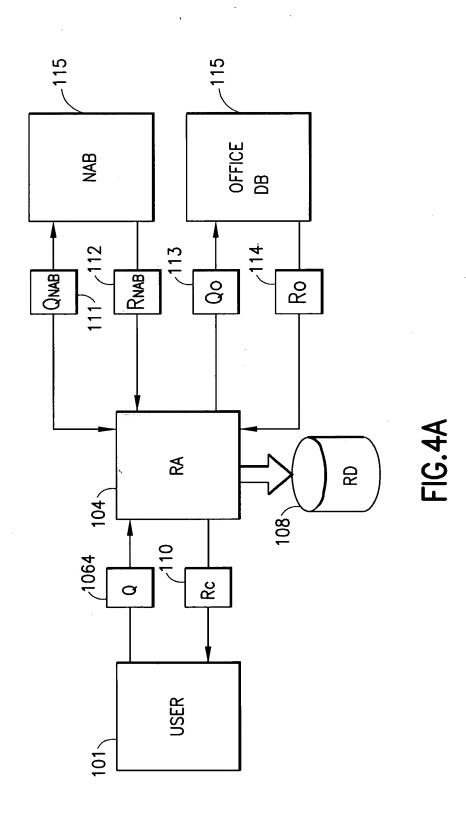


FIG.2







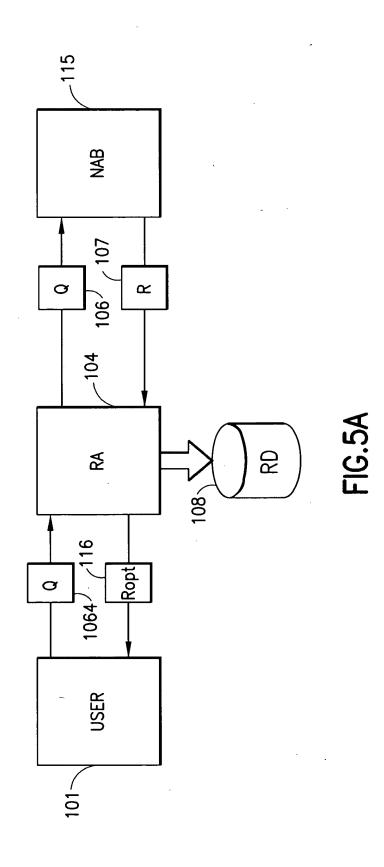




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RNAB-Response from NAB	John Q Smith/SalesDivision/XYZCorp	John Q Smith/MktgDivision/XYZCorp		rom Office DB	Florida	New York		Rc-Combined Response	John Q Smith/SalesDivision/XYZCorp	John Q Smith/MktgDivision/XYZCorp
	John Q Smith	John Q. Smith		Ro-Response from	John Q Smith	John Q Smith			John Q Smith	John Q Smith

**FIG.4B** 







Query—on behalf of George A Jones/MktgDivision/XYZCorp e-mail name for John Smith?

107 John Q Smith/SalesDivision/XYZCorp John Q Smith/MktgDivision/XYZCorp John Q Smith John Q Smith Response

-1082 -1081 Relationship Data—for George A Jones/MktgDivision/XYZCorp 20 John Q Smith/SalesDivision/XYZCorp John Q Smith/MktgDivision/XYZCorp

John Q Smith/SalesDivision/XYZCorp John Q Smith/MktqDivision/XYZCorp Sorted Response John Q Smith John Q Smith

FIG.5B



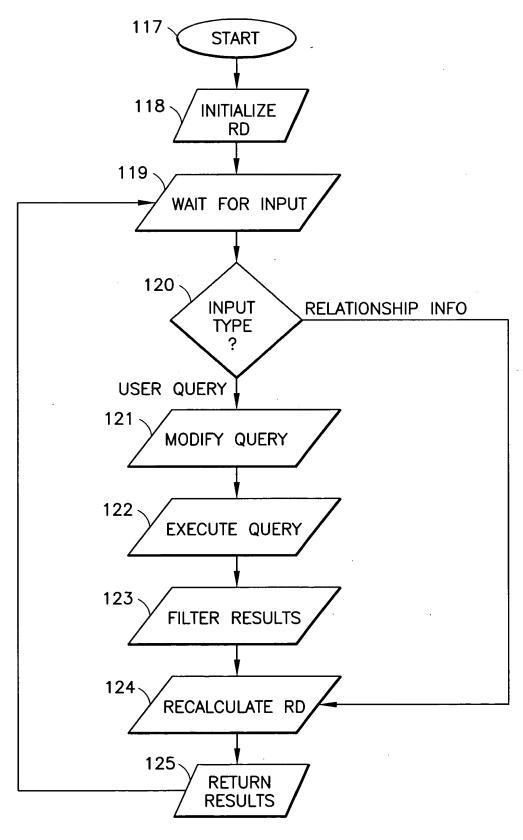
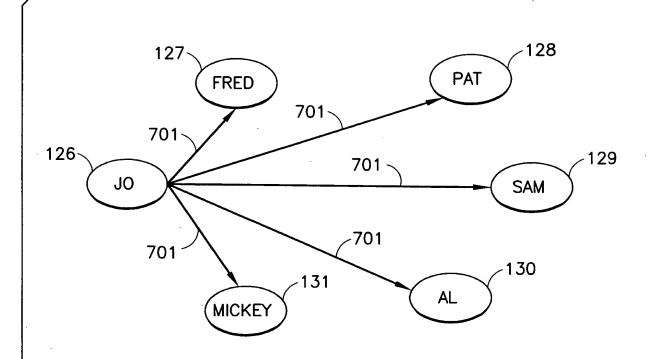


FIG.6





RELATIONSHIP VALUES FOR "JO" (700)							
	<u>FRED</u>	PAT	SAM	<u>AL</u>	<b>MICKEY</b>		
RI("ORG CHART")	0.8	0.5	0.5	0.1	0.0		
RI("MAILING LIST")	0.7	0.6	0.2	0.0	0.5		
RI("CALENDAR")	0.2	0.6	0.6	0.0	0.1		
R("JO") (SUM)	1.7	1.7	1.3	0.1	0.6		

PREFERENCE RATINGS FOR INFORMATION SOURCES (702): {P("ORG CHART")=0.2, P("MAILING LIST")=0.5, P("CALENDAR")=0.3}

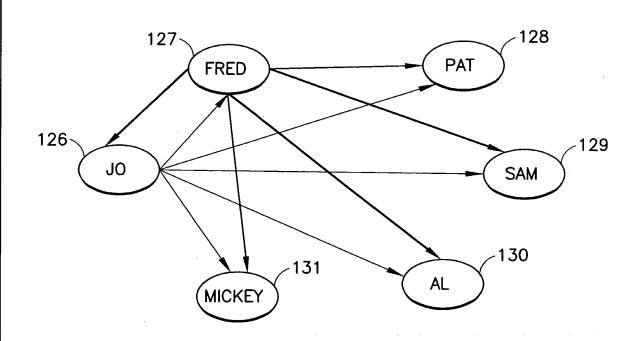
<u>WEIGHTED RELATIONSHIP VALUES (703)</u> RP("JO", (FRED...)) 0.57 0.58 0.38 0.02 0.28

RELATION—GROUP CUTOFF (704)
RGcutoff = 0.35

RELATION-GROUPS FOR "JO" (705)
RG("JO")={FRED, PAT, SAM}

FIG.7A





## WEIGHTED RELATIONSHIP VALUES FOR FRED (706)

	PAT	SAM	<u>AL</u>	<b>MICKEY</b>	<u>J0</u>
RP("FRED", Y)	0.4	0.6	0.2	0.8	0.6

<u>DERIVED RELATION-GROUP CUTOFF (707)</u> DRGcutoff = 0.5

DERIVED RELATION-GROUP FOR JO (708)
DRG("JO")={FRED, PAT, SAM, MICKEY}

FIG.7B



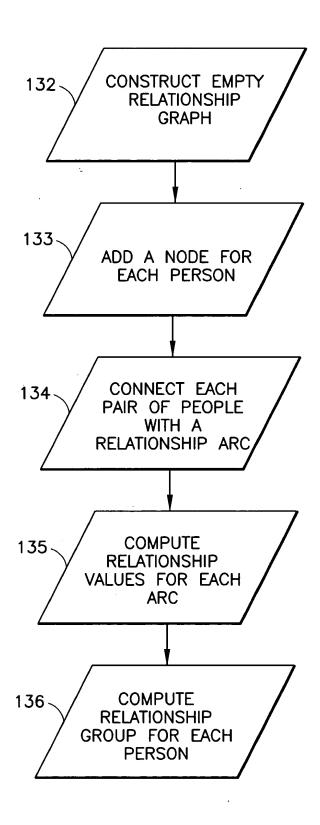
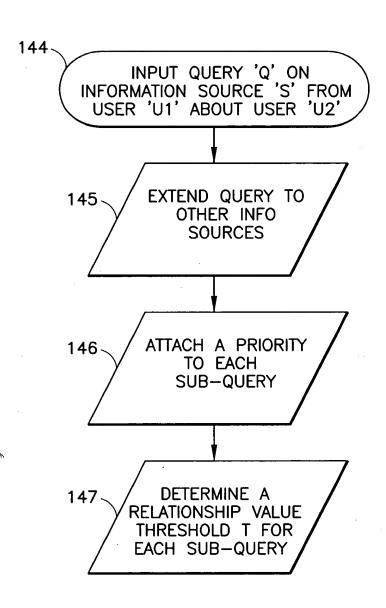


FIG.8





**FIG.10** 



